

EXHIBIT 8

1 CORONER'S INQUEST
2 INTO THE DEATH OF
3 STEFFEN MATTHEW DAY

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6 CORONER'S CASE NO. 2006-1850
7 WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 20, 2006
8 MARTINEZ CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS
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1 the pelvis. And what it was was a medium caliber,
2 copper-jacketed bullet. And it ended up actually right
3 behind the pelvis in the right buttock, so it was in the
4 muscle of the buttock.

5 So again, entrance wound just to the left of the belly
6 button, the bullet passes right to left, front to back and
7 downward, passes through bowel, passes through iliac artery,
8 passes through the pelvic bone, ends up in the buttock.
9 Where it passed through the artery, there was a large
10 quantity of blood. And both in the back of the abdomen and
11 within the abdomen itself I measured roughly a quart and a
12 half or so of blood. So that would have been the cause of
13 death was simply the internal bleeding.

14 Q. Doctor, you can't determine in your process
15 whether the deceased was standing up when he was shot or
16 laying down or whatever, correct?

17 A. No. The specific position I can't say. I can say
18 where the entrance wound was and I can tell how the bullet
19 passed through the body. But how he may have been standing,
20 bending, positioned, there are too many variables between
21 him and the person shooting. So it's simply not possible to
22 tell.

23 Q. If hypothetically he was standing up and was shot
24 by somebody who was also standing up, could you then
25 describe what the trajectory would have been under those

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2) SS.
3 COUNTY OF CONTRA COSTA)
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15 and correct transcript of my said notes taken at the time
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